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In re Application of

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For: **BROADBAND COMMUNICATION
SYSTEM USING POINT AND SHOOT
APPROACH**

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF MARCH 28, 2001

The Official Office Action dated 28 March 2001 in the above-identified application has been reviewed and Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks in response thereto.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please rewrite **claims 1 and 8** as follows:

~~1. (Twice Amended) A method of transmitting data in a digital communication system~~

between a transmitting station and a plurality of receivers, said transmitting method comprising:

a) generating a primary data signal containing a plurality of primary data

~~packets, each said primary data packet intended for a specific one of said receivers.~~